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MEDICINAL.

IS YOUR HAIR TURNING GRAY?

What does your mirror say? Does it tell you of some little streaks of gray? Are you pleased? Do your friends of the same age show this loss of color also?

Just remember that gray hair never becomes darker without help, while dark hair rapidly becomes gray when once the change begins.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

will bring back to your hair the color of youth. It never fails. It is just as sure as that heat melts snow, or that water quenches fire.

It cleanses the scalp also and prevents the formation of dandruff. It feeds and nourishes the bulbs of the hair making them produce a luxuriant growth. It stops the hair from falling out and gives a fine soft finish to the hair.

We have a book on the Hair and Scalp which you may obtain free on request. It contains full directions for the use of the Vigor, and is a valuable work. Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

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P. F. GORMAN, Collector City Taxes.

MY PRESCRIPTION FILE, which includes the prescription file formerly owned by L. Stabler & Co., together with the agency of the Ostrerburg Lumber Water, has been turned over to Mr. CLAUDE M. LYNCH. Mr. Lynch will receive the water from every day or two as I did. Drinkers of it will receive the same water at the same price. Very truly, J. H. JANNEY.

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in this paper as advertisements.

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A MILE IN SIXTY-FIVE SECONDS.

A man on a bicycle rode a mile yesterday faster than anyone ever before traveled the same distance by self-propulsion. The man was Charles M. Murphy, and he rode the mile in sixty-five seconds. It was done so honestly, clearly, and in as sportsmanlike manner as any bicycle ever was ridden. His sole advantage was a locomotive with one car attached, which set the pace and enabled him to ride in a partial vacuum. No straps or tow ropes or harness were employed. He rode naturally, simply keeping close to the car by rapid pedaling. It was a wonderful performance, and a spectacle of thrilling interest.

The scene of the ride was on the Central Branch of the Long Island Railroad. The car, a box-like structure, had been built to shield the rider from the wind.

The sides extended straight out about six feet and downward to within 2 feet of the ground, where they slanted inward toward the track at an angle of about forty degrees. The bottoms of the wind-shielding extension lapped over the inner sides of the rails, setting close to them like flanges, so as to exclude all the air and dust possible. Within the shielding sides of this contrivance Murphy pedaled for more than two miles, swerving only for a few inches and a ver losing the tremendous speed of his steam-driven pacemaker. He was bareheaded, wore no eyeglasses, mouth or nose shield, or any kind of appliances. He rode a bicycle of regular stock-racing model, weighing twenty-one pounds, and geared to 112, with ordinary wire tire clips. There were three-quarters of a mile to be traveled before the trial began, for the board track was more than two miles long and nearly half a mile was left for following up.

The cyclist pedaled faster and faster, his wheel never falling away an inch from its position and away from side to side only five inches. There were five planks, each ten inches wide, composing the track. Murphy rode the entire distance on the middle one and used only one-half of that from the start to the finish. The rate of speed varied only by fractions of a second in a quarter of a mile. The spectators had previously ridden over the course in 1:08 seconds when the engineer was trying himself and engine. Then it seemed a flying leap from one end of the boards to the other, but now with the cyclist riding there under their feet it seemed like an hour.

The first quarter was traveled in 16.25 seconds; the second in 16.35, and the third in 16.15 seconds. As the last quarter was begun the car bounded just a little more than unknown cause. The cyclist then fell away for the only time in his ride. He dropped back four or five inches and every heart stood still, but a second more and he was back again, his legs moving like pistons as before. When the finish line was crossed the rider threw up his head and flashed a grinning countenance at the watchers on the car.

It was seen only for an instant for the train leaped like a wounded buck and the rider receded from within the sidewalls and quickly became a speck in the distance. He was seen to wobble slightly, but he did not return to know whether he fell or not, for the train swung around a slight curve. Those who looked wondered at the rapidity with which he fell away. The fact was, that the engineer, as soon as the finishing mark was crossed, opened the throttle and the train bounded away at seventy miles an hour, thereby leaving Murphy, who probably would have been unable to slow away from the car, had this not been done. When the rider looked up and grinned it was a positive shock to the watchers. Then there was a general gasp, which developed into a cry of enthusiasm as the timers announced that the mile had been traveled in one minute and five seconds. Murphy is convinced that he can ride a mile in minute and so is everyone who will witness the trial yesterday. He will make the attempt on June 30 at the State L. A. W. meet.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. A. E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up for lost, but determined that if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my friends above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am well and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' Drug Store. Regular size 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

His Life Was Saved.

If you have piles, cure them. No more undergoing horrible operations that simply remove the results of the disease without curing the disease itself. Place your confidence in DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It has never failed to cure others; it will not fail to cure you. Edgar Warfield, Jr., corner King and Pitt streets.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who knew me to be a poor widow grieved to me. I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. Respectfully, MRS. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. For sale by J. H. Janney, Druggist, 701 King St.

Thomas Thurman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if every one in the United States should do the virtue of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for piles, rectal troubles and skin diseases the demand could not be supplied. Edgar Warfield, Jr., corner King and Pitt streets.

FURNITURE.

SOME RARE BARGAINS

Carriages and Go-Carts

They will be sold AT AND BELOW COST, as the space they occupy is required for other goods.

\$19.00 FOR CARRIAGES that were \$24.00

16.00 " " 20.00

14.50 " " 16.00

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12.00 " " 14.00

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AUCTION SALES.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.
TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT ON ALFRED STREET, BETWEEN KING AND CAMERON STREETS, IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Lizzie E. Barker and Henry F. Barker, her husband, dated the 15th day of October, 1895, and recorded in deed book No. 35, page 341, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, and at the request of the parties thereto, the undersigned, trustee, will sell at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon

SATURDAY, JULY 15, 1899.

the following property, to wit:
ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDING thereon in the said city of Alexandria, situated on the west side of Alfred street, between King and Cameron streets, and bounded as follows: to wit: Beginning on the west side of Alfred street sixty (60) feet north of an alley fifteen (15) feet wide, and one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet more or less, north of King street, and running thence north on Alfred street twenty (20) feet; thence west parallel to King street one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet ten (10) inches; thence south parallel to Alfred street twenty (20) feet; and thence east in a direct line one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet ten (10) inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: Cash, and all conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

M. E. HALL, }
PARK AGNEW, } Trustees.

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EXCURSIONS.

Indian Head Trips

—AND—
Marshall Hall.

Steamer CHAS. MACALESTER

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FARE—Round Trip—25 CENTS.

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ALL SIZES.

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3 & 4 S. Wharves, Alexandria, Va.

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LEGAL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, duly qualified administrator of E. W. AVERY, deceased, hereby notifies all indebted to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate to present them, properly verified.

F. J. DAVIDSON, Administrator.
je9 1m 313 King street.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as executor of the estate of ISABELLA BURNS, deceased, all persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to me, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to forthwith settle their indebtedness.

M. B. HARLOW, Executor Estate of Isabella Burns.
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O. B. PIERPOINT, Administrator.
Address P. O. Alexandria, Va.
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